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SUBJECT: VISIT OF BULGARIAN FIRST DEPUTY FOREIGN TRADE MINISTER
TO U.S.

REF: SOFIA 1364 AND 1584; STATE 211645

1. FIRST DEPUTY FOREIGN TRADE MINISTER SIMEON PEEV
WHO RECENTLY RETURNED FROM US REPORTED ENTHUSIASTICALLY
ON HIS TRIP. SAID HE WAS GRATEFUL FOR ASSISTANCE EM-
BASSY AND DOC HAD GIVEN IN ARRANGING SUITABLE APPOINT-
MENTS FOR HIM. IMPLIED THAT HIS DISCUSSIONS WITH
KAISER WERE MOST REWARDING AND HE EXPECTS PRESIDENT
OF KAISER TO VISIT BULGARIA IN JANUARY. APPARENTLY
TALKS WITH EXXON ALSO INTERESTING AND EXXON REPRE-
SENTATIVE ARE EXPECTED IN BULGARIA IN NEAR FUTURE
TO INVESTIGATE FURTHER POSSIBILITY OF OIL EXPLORATION
IN BLACK SEA. WHEN ASKED IF IT POLITICALLY FEASIBLE
FOR US FIRM TO BE USED FOR SUCH PURPOSE, PEEV SAID
THE POLITICAL ASPECTS HAVE BEEN CONSIDERED AND ARE
NOT A BARRIER.

2. PEEV STRESSED THAT HE CONSIDERED HIS TRIP VERY
USEFUL AND INFORMATIVE BUT INDICATED JUST A SLIGHT
DISAPPOINTMENT THAT DOC OFFICIALS WERE "TOO BUSY" TO
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